

The Herald and News

E. H. AULL, Editor

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The last session of the legislature passed a joint resolution proposing to amend section 2, of article 7, of the constitution, so that the provisions of this section shall not apply to certain townships in the counties of Greenville, Greenwood, Laurens and Saluda. In other words the purpose of adopting this amendment is to destroy the corporate existence of these townships. Some years ago these townships voted bonds in aid of a proposed railroad from Augusta to Knoxville. A considerable amount of grading was done and then the project was abandoned, but the bonds had already been delivered and those interested in the road must have complied with the conditions imposed. If so then the bonds should not be avoided by amending the constitution and destroying the corporate existence of the townships. These bonds are now no doubt in the hands of innocent parties who bought them and paid their honest money for them expecting the townships to pay them. It strikes us as repudiation. It is hard to have to pay money for a railroad that was never built, and yet these matters should have been considered before the bonds were issued. Newberry had the same experience in two townships. We rushed to aid in building a road from here to Augusta and agreed to deliver our bonds as soon as the road was graded through the townships instead of holding the money until we got the road in operation. As a result the road never got further than being partly graded. We are not asking that the corporate existence of these townships be destroyed so that the holders of the bonds may not be enabled to collect their debt, but we got a compromise with the holders of the bonds and are paying the debt. That is what these townships in Greenville, Greenwood, Laurens and Saluda should do and next time not be so ready to vote an issue of bonds for a railroad until they have sufficient security that the road will be built. We do not think the adoption of this amendment a good precedent to establish and therefore we believe it should not be adopted.

We agree with the Baptist Courier and the other newspapers which hold the position that it is rather indecent to be seeking the office now held by Chief Justice McIver while he lingers upon a bed of illness. It would be more in keeping with the ethics of a high and honored profession to wait until there was a vacancy either by death or resignation. It does not show proper respect to the learned and distinguished gentleman who has honored the bench of this State by long and faithful service and who in other capacities was always true to his State and his people.

The office of chief justice of the supreme court is one which should seek the man best fitted by character, and training and intellectuality and legal ability to fill the position and should not be awarded to a politician or placed within the reach of the politician or the chronic office seeker. It is a position which should be filled by the very best legal ability in the State, and the Legislature should be able to find this talent when there is a vacancy without the aid of boosting in the newspapers before there is a vacancy to be filled.

It is a duty every Democrat owes to his State to go to the polls next Tuesday and cast his ballot for the nominee of his party. To support the nominees of the party was a part of the pledge you took when you voted in the primary. The way to put that pledge in force is to go to the polls next Tuesday and vote the full ticket. There is no danger of defeat to any nominee but it should not be forgotten that a republican has been nominated for Congress in each District in the State. It is no doubt the nomination is made and the race run for the purpose of a contest and to keep in line of patronage. So much more the reason why the Democrats should cast a full vote. In this district Wyatt Aiken, of Abbeville, is the Democratic nominee and John Scott of Newberry is the nominee of the Republicans. Let every Democrat do his duty by going to the polls and fulfilling the pledge which he made in the primary. There is no opposition to the State and county tickets but you should vote for the Democratic nominees for these offices also.

The special term of court has been engaged all past week in the trial of damage suits against the Southern Railway. The railroad has gotten a verdict in one case and a mistrial in another. There are several more cases to be tried this week.

With the many special courts we believe it would be economy to establish two additional judicial circuits and elect two more circuit judges. Then it would help to a more speedy termination of suits in court.

Mr. Barnard B. Evans, who was put on trial in Columbia last week charged with the murder of Mr. Griffin in his room about two years ago, was acquitted on Saturday afternoon.

We are glad to see so many of our newspapers advocating compulsory education. It, like child labor legislation, is coming. It cannot come too soon.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.

T. J. W. Oppose Such a Law and Bring Additional Arguments.

Our editor thinks that the poor people need more education, while we think that they need more money and more moral training. We believe that Editor Aull is sincere in his way of thinking on compulsory education, and we appreciate the fact that he is a very smart man, and also a very polished writer, but a man can be ever so smart and sincere and yet be wrong. It is the smart men we need to fear when they get wrong, for they are the only ones who are able to do very much harm. I am not going to continue this discussion so that it will become wearisome to the mind of the reader; but if you will bear with me I will present a few more practical thoughts and truths which I know are not at all popular in the minds of a few of our professors and teachers. But it matters very little to us what is counted popular or unpopular since we feel that we are representing the right, just and honest side of the question. The editor says that no one suggested that there would be any increase of the amount of school tax, or that it would be advisable to lengthen the school term, and such an idea has been a wrong impression made on my mind. We take the word compulsion for just what it means, and the word simply means force applied. Then that certainly means for all the children to go to school. The editor doesn't say at what age or how long. To illustrate this point we will take our own school. Suppose Union Academy is running a six month's school, has 33 pupils in regular attendance—this is about as much as one teacher can do justice to, is it not? But here comes your other two-fifths, which you say I have failed to account for that the law says must go. This will increase the number of scholars to 55, will it not? Then this will certainly necessitate another teacher. Now please tell me how you can run the school six months and pay both teachers with the same money without reducing their salary. So we can all readily see, who want to see, that a compulsory education law will either reduce the school term or call for more money. Why, you just as well say that I could cultivate 55 acres of land with one mule as easily as 33 as to say one teacher can teach 55 pupils as well as he or she can teach 33. But the editor says compulsory education will not affect those three-fifths who are trying to do all they can to school their children. Then the editor would certainly have class legislation. I think I have clearly shown that to compel all the children to attend school would necessitate more teachers, and would certainly call for more money, which would be compelled to affect the whole people. I asked a good country woman a little more than a year ago, who had five or six children that I thought ought to be going to school, why she was not sending them. The poor woman replied that they were not able to buy them the kind of books and clothes they needed. Now these were hard working people and they could not help their misfortunes, and you can find thousands of other similar cases all over the State. These, my dear editor, are a part of those two-fifths which you say I failed to account for. It is a mighty hard matter for a man who was born with a silver spoon in his mouth to enter into the right kind of feeling of sympathy with the poor and needy. He is like the man who always enjoys good health; he cannot sympathize with the sick. Dear people, we regard this as a dangerous piece of legislation. You can legislate money out of a man's pocket, he will grumble, but will go on and pay it just the same; but you go into his household and take away from him the only God given right that he has, tell him that he is not capable of taking care of his children, that they must go to school regardless of what their condition may be; whenever the law takes this authority, mark what I say, you will not find one man out of five hundred that will submit to it. If you are going into this thing for the

good of the people, let us not only legislate for the intellectual part of man, but also for the interest of his dear soul, which is more precious than all. Make a compulsory church and Sunday School law. Make drunkenness and all other vices a crime. If one will work, why not both? More than this, Mr. Editor, it is almost an impossibility to enforce a compulsory education law. It would require at least one commissioner in each school district to look after the matter, and these men, like liquor constables, would have to be paid, and when you find a violator of the law, what are you going to do with him? Put him on the chaise because he is not able to buy his children just such clothes and books as would be necessary for them to have? Stop and think before it is too late. In conclusion, Mr. Editor, let us look after the building of good roads and let the parents manage their own domestic affairs. We are getting along nicely on the educational line. A man told me just a little more than a week ago, who had moved here from a State that had compulsory education, that our school system was far better than it was in his State. You have some splendid ideas on road building. Let us have them.

October 22, 1902.

NOTICE.

BIDS FOR KEEPER OF HENDERSON'S and Gordon's Ferries will be received by me up until the 15th day of November. J. M. SCHUMPERT, County Supervisor.

Advertised Letters.

Remaining in postoffice for week ending Oct. 25, 1902:

A—Miss Janie Amick.
B—P. W. Bouknight, Miss Elizabeth Butler, L. A. Boozer, J. E. Brim.
C—C. W. Crayton, J. C. Craps.
D—Mrs. Texanna Darby.
G—Harriet Griffin.
H—Clamand Henderson, Sloan Honea, Milledge Haislock.
K—Genar Krip.
L—Joseph Lake, Miss Arie Lutzey.
Q—J. Y. Quanton.
S—Miss Lizzie Shill, Mrs. Rosanna Singleton.
T—Mrs. Eliza Turner, Mrs. Margaret Traunman, Frank J. Frout, M. H. Thomas.
W—Rufus Williams, Aaron Wilson, Hayne Williams, Hugh Wilson (2).
Persons calling for these letters will please say they are advertised.
C. J. Parcell, P. M.

CANCER CURED BY BLOOD BALM.

All Skin and Blood Diseases Cured.
Mrs. M. L. Adams, Fredonia, Ala., took Botanic Blood Balm which effectually cured an eating cancer of the nose and face. The sores healed up perfectly. Many doctors had given up her case as hopeless. Hundreds of cases of cancer, eating sores, suppurating swellings, etc., have been cured by Blood Balm. Among others, Mrs. B. M. Guernsey, Warrior Stand, Ala. Her nose and lip were raw as beef, with offensive discharge from the eating sores. Doctors advised cutting, but it failed. Blood Balm healed the sores, and Mrs. Guernsey is as well as ever. Botanic Blood Balm also cures eczema, itching, humors, scabs and scales, bone pains, ulcers, offensive pimples, blood poison, carbuncles, scrofula, risings and bumps on the skin and all blood troubles. Druggists, \$1 per large bottle. Sample of Botanic Blood Balm free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and special medical advice sent in sealed letter. It is certainly worth while investigating such a remarkable remedy, as Blood Balm cures the most awful, worst and most deep-seated blood diseases.

GO TO J. P. COOK FOR CHEAP Groceries.

THE RISER MILLINERY CO.

We sell the Gage Hat which is famous for its good style and beauty.

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITIONS of Keeper of County Home and County Physician will be received by the Supervisor until the 15th day of November. J. M. SCHUMPERT, County Supervisor.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons holding claims against the estate of Marion Anderson, deceased, are requested to render in the same to the Probate Judge of Newberry, S. C., on or before December 1st, 1902. J. Y. FLOYD, Executor of Marion Anderson, deceased.

Hands Wanted!

BY THE
Excelsior Knitting Mills
Of Union, S. C.

FORTY strong able-bodied men between the ages of twenty-one and forty to make \$1.00 per day each, and good wages paid to other members of the family for other classes of work.

We also want Toppers, Knitters, Loopers, Menders and Finishers. All the work is nice and easy, and we pay better wages than any other hosiery mill in the South.

Apply to
J. H. Gault,
Treas. and Manager.
Union, S. C.

Stockholders' Meeting.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF Directors a special meeting of the stockholders of the Carolina Manufacturing Company is hereby called for November 29, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon to consider and act upon the following resolution passed by the board of directors of the said company at their meeting held October 25, 1902.

"Resolved, That the Capital stock of the Carolina Manufacturing Company be increased to thirty-five thousand dollars to be divided into three hundred and fifty shares of par value of one hundred dollars each, said increase stock to have the following preferences, viz: There shall be paid to the holders thereof an annual dividend of seven dollars per share from the earnings of the Company before any dividend is paid on any other stock of the Company and shall have priority over all other stock in the distribution of the assets of the Company among the stockholders in case of liquidation from any cause before the retirement may be effected at any time after ten years from the date thereof, which may be fixed by a majority vote by the holders of the common stock on the payment of the face value thereof and any accrued unpaid dividend to the holder thereof."

E. A. CARLISLE, Secretary.

Newberry, S. C., Oct. 27, 1902.

For Sale—Land at a Bargain.

280 ACRES IN NO. 8 TOWNSHIP, part of old Croft Place, lying on road to Kempson's Ferry. Fine bottom lands on Beaver Dam, will be sold as a whole, or divided to suit purchasers.
130 Acres lying on road from Newberry to Longshores one mile from O'Neal's mill. Fine farming land on Bush River. Good dwelling and large stable and tenant house—very desirable small farm.
30 Acres of Land just outside of town limits, on the Columbia road; half original forest, good spring of water, and fine place for market garden.
700 Acres in No. 4 Township, two miles from Whitmire's, good dwelling, stables and all necessary tenant houses on place in good repair. Splendid cotton and corn lands, with good pasture the year round. To be bought at a bargain. Apply to
JAMES MCINTOSH,
Newberry, S. C.

Deering Mowers And Rakes are THE BEST. FULL LINE - OF - REPAIRS FOR SALE BY J. W. White.

Citizens' Meeting.

A MEETING OF THE CITIZENS of the town of Newberry is hereby called to meet in council chamber, Tuesday afternoon, November 4th, at 5 o'clock, for the purpose of deciding the manner in which to nominate candidates for Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Newberry for the ensuing year. By order of the Democratic Executive Committee.
M. A. CARLISLE,
Chairman.

Now is the Time to Buy Your FLOUR.

We have contracted with Ballard & Ballard Co. for several thousand Barrels of Flour before the advance. We are pressed for room and will make very low prices.

Respectfully,
SUMMER BROS.

HULLS AND MEAL

Can supply your needs for Cotton Seed Hulls and Meal.

Hulls 25c. hundred pounds.

Meal \$1.15 per sack, (100 pounds.)

In exchanging Hulls and Meal for Seed, will sell the Hulls at 22½ cents per hundred pounds and sell meal at \$1.10 per sack, (100 lbs.) and pay market price for Seed at Newberry Oil Mill.
L. W. FLOYD,
Manager.

Hello Central!—Give Me 48

The Newberry Granite Front Confectionery and Bakery!

They have all kinds of Bread—
Patent Bread, Milk Bread, Graham Bread, Cream Bread, Cap Bread, Rye Bread, Kimmel Seed Rye Bread, Boston Brown Bread.

Largest assortment of fresh, fancy Cakes ever shown here before. Orders taken by Telephone and delivered free of charge as we have out our new delivery wagon. Call and see us, or ring up Phone No. 48.

H. A. Meyer & Son.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY forbidden to haul or remove any sand from the public highways in this county.
J. M. SCHUMPERT,
County Supervisor.

Registration Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the books of registration for the town of Newberry, S. C., are now open and the undersigned as Supervisor of Registration for said town will keep said books open every day from 9 p. m., until 5 p. m., Sunday's excepted, including the 1st day of December, 1902.
W. S. LANGFORD,
Sup. Reg.

BLANK BOOKS.

We have in stock a full line of

BLANK BOOKS

Of all kinds. Can sell you a 600 page

Ledger at \$1.25.

MAYES' BOOK STORE.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

For Representative in Congress Third Congressional District.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEWBERRY. Notice is hereby given that the General Election for Representative in Congress will be held at the voting precincts fixed by law in the county of Newberry on Tuesday, November 4, 1902, said day being Tuesday following the first Monday, as prescribed by law.

The qualifications for suffrage are as follows: Residence in the State for two years, in the County one year, in the polling precinct in which the elector offers to vote four months, and the payment six months before any election of any poll tax then due and payable: Provided, That ministers in charge of an organized church and teachers of public schools shall be entitled to vote after six months' residence in the State, otherwise qualified.

Registration. Payment of all taxes, including poll tax, assessed and collectible during the previous year. The production of a certificate of the receipt of the officer authorized to collect such taxes shall be conclusive proof of the payment thereof.

Before the hour fixed for opening the polls Managers and Clerks must take and subscribe the Constitutional oath. The Chairman of the Board of Managers can administer the oath to the other Managers and to the Clerk; a Notary Public must administer the oath to the Chairman. The Managers elect their Chairman and Clerk.

Polls at each voting place must be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and closed at 4 o'clock p. m., except in the city of Charleston, where they shall be opened at 7 a. m. and closed at 6 p. m. The Managers have the power to fill a vacancy, and if none of the Managers attend the citizens can appoint from among the qualified voters the Managers, who, after being sworn, can conduct the election.

At the close of the election, the Managers and Clerk must proceed publicly to open the ballot boxes and count the ballots therein, and continue without adjournment until the same is completed, and make a statement of the result for each office and sign the same.

Within three days thereafter, the Chairman of the Board, or some one designated by the Board, must deliver to the Commissioners of Election the poll list, the boxes containing the ballots and written statements of the result of the election.

The following

MANAGERS OF ELECTION

have been appointed to hold the election at the various precincts in the said county:

Newberry—M. J. Scott, D. F. Pifer and Jno. A. Summer.

Factory—Wm. Bedenbaugh, Jno. M. Taylor and Ed. Rodelsperger.

Helena—T. G. Williams, C. J. Zobel and Welsh Wilbur.

Mt. Belair—C. L. Leitzay, Jno. T. Oxner and S. S. Cunningham.

Glynnville—W. D. Rutherford, Sam Graham and Mark Smith.

Maybinton—W. B. Oxner, Ben H. Maybin and D. A. Thomas.

Whitmire—Jas. S. McCauley, Jno. P. Fant and Joo Duckett.

Cromers—S. A. Jeter, A. C. Sligh and W. T. Cofield.

Jalapa—W. H. Eddy, Jno. H. Aull and W. L. Copeland.

Longshores—J. Will Wilson, S. E. Sean and M. M. Martin.

Williams—M. Dwight Smith, Henry M. Boozer and Jno. R. Scurry.

Utopia—David Payson, R. T. Buzhardt and Duffie D. Schumpert.

Prosperity—R. I. Stoudemeyer, C. S. Nichols and W. F. Bedenbaugh.

Hendrix Mill—L. L. Dominick, M. W. Bedenbaugh and H. L. Fellers.

Slighs—Charlie Bangle, J. B. Kempson and J. A. Miller.

Jolly Street—R. A. Epting, J. J. Kibler and Edmund Shealy.

Central School House—A. L. Aull, Jno. Sligh and J. D. Sheely.

Pomaria—Jno. C. Aull, Q. M. Kinard and John Summer.

Walton—M. H. Folk, Jacob E. Cromer and L. B. Bangle.

St. Phillips—D. A. Ruff, Glenn Metts and J. Perry Halfacre.

Little Mountain—J. E. Boland, J. A. Shely and R. P. Huffman.

The managers at each precinct named above are requested to delegate one of their number to secure boxes and blanks for the election. They can be secured on and after Thursday, October 30th, at J. W. White's store.

J. W. EARHARDT,
J. B. DERRICK,
E. B. MARTIN.

Commissioners of Federal Election for Newberry County.

October 13th, 1902.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

ANY ONE TRESPASSING UPON the lands of the undersigned, in No. 6 Township, by bird hunting or otherwise, will be prosecuted.
J. LUTHER MAYER.

NOTICE.

THE SUPERVISOR OF SALUDA County and myself will be at Bouknight's Ferry at 10 a. m., Kempson's Ferry, at 1 p. m., and Simpson's Ferry at 3 p. m. on October 31, 1902, to let contracts for Ferryman at said Ferries.
J. M. SCHUMPERT,
Supervisor.

For Rent.

A GOOD THREE-HORSE FARM for rent, known as George B. Suber's near Bethlehem church. Bounded by the land of J. D. Suber, Mud and Cannon creeks. Has a good dwelling, tenant houses, hay meadows, pastures and other conveniences. For further information apply to Forest H. Suber, care of Lorick & Lowrance, Columbia, S. C.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF LAND.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, AS Executors of the last will and testament of John M. Livingston, deceased, will sell on the first Monday in November, 1902, before the Court House at Newberry, the following described land, the same being located in No. 8 Township: "All that tract of land known as the Home place, containing One Hundred and Forty-Two (142) Acres, more or less, bounded by lands of Mrs. Edith Taylor, P. J. Stevens, Lindsay Dominick and others."

"All that tract of land known as the Werts tract, containing One Hundred and Thirty-Five (135) Acres, more or less, bounded by lands of Lindsay Dominick, Mrs. Mattie C. Werts, D. G. Livingston and others."

TERMS: One-third cash, balance on a credit of one and two years, with interest "from day of sale, secured by bond of purchaser and mortgage of premises. Purchaser to pay for papers.

P. S. LIVINGSTON,
D. G. LIVINGSTON,
Executors.

Here Is Something

Here is something we want you to read, and read carefully. We want to talk to you about the good quality of our merchandise and our low prices, and we want to impress upon you right here that we never separate quality and price. No matter how low the price, the quality is still there—everything we sell is of standard quality. Here is one of the elements of our success: We make the price so low at all times and the character of our merchandise so high that any buyer can afford to buy of us. We are specialist in our lines which comprise

Dry goods, Dress goods, Silks, Velvets, White goods, Trimmings, Buttons, Embroideries, Laces, White and Red Flannel, Embroidered Flannel, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Domestic, Jeans, Calicoes, Homespun, Bleachings, Shirts, Outings, Flanelette, Ladies Wraps, Lace Curtain, Counterpanes, Yankee Notions.

In fact our large stock comprises almost anything you may ask for, all priced to suit you. Millinery is one of our strong points in all grades, cheap to very fine. We can please you in this department. Some solid, good shoes for all. We do not sell shoddy. Men's Shoes, Women's Shoes, Boy's Shoes, Girls' Shoes, Baby Shoes. Let us fit your feet in solid leather Shoes, the kind that look well, wear well and cost moderately.

Walk Over Shoes for Men,
Autoa Shoes for Women,
Regina Shoes for Women,
Ideal Shose for Children.
Come and examine our stock.

YOURS TRULY,
C. & G. S. MOWER CO.

Just Received

A well selected line of Ladies', Misses' and Childrens' Jackets and Furs that will please you in style, quality and price—see them. The latest fad in Ladies' Neckwear for early Autumn is the "Silk Ruffs," and we have a beautiful line here.

We can show you a very pretty and pleasing stock of Dress Goods, such as Prunellas, Thibets, Broadcloths, Camels Hair Cheviots, and many others. All Wool Waistings at 25c., 50c. and 75c. Very pretty Silk Waistings at 50c., 75c. and \$1.00. The prettiest Moire Silks in the market for the price, 59c. Best Quality Black Peau de Soie, warranted Silk for \$1.00.

Gents' Furnishings in great variety. Will tell you more about this department a little later, but in the meantime call and examine—no trouble to show goods.

Butterick Patterns and Fashion Books in Stock. We want your business and will appreciate a call.

YOURS TRULY,
S. J. WOOTEN,

"Low Prices" AT

COPELAND BROTHERS.

Having bought with "Spot Cash" one of the largest stocks of New Goods that will be shown in Newberry this Fall. We are enabled to make very low prices and will save you money in every department of Our Big Store.

Our Dress Goods and Silk Departments

Are packed full of Pretty New Goods. All grades and the very latest things from the Cheapest to the Best. Don't buy your Dress or Waist until you see our line.

SHOES FOR MEN CLOTHING, SHOES AND HATS. SHOES FOR LADIES

75c to \$3.50 75c to \$3.50

In these departments we are very strong. We handle only the best and most reliable makes and we know that we can give you some values at prices that you cannot match anywhere for Men and Boys.

Jackets, Capes and Furs.

We have the Stock, Style and Prices right.
3 cases Good Calico 3½ 125 doz Men's Heavy Undershirts for 25c
5 cases Best Calico 5c worth 50c. 25 pcs Good Red Flannel
5 cases Riverside Plaids 5c 15c 5 bales best Drills 5c.

If you want anything to wear, good and cheap, get ready and come to

COPELAND BROTHERS.
The Cheapest Store in Town.